

The background features a soft, abstract watercolor wash in shades of light pink and beige. In the corners, there are delicate watercolor illustrations of flowers and foliage. The top-left corner shows large, light pink daisy-like flowers with yellow centers and green leaves. The top-right corner has a small, dark brown branch with reddish-brown buds. The bottom-left corner features a similar dark brown branch with buds. The bottom-right corner is adorned with large, light pink daisy-like flowers and green leaves.

Clouds of Pink

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contaminated
dark fumes up above
a scarcity of breath

the sirens and speakers
signal evacuation

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families trapped
on the rooftop others run
to higher grounds

*the heavy flood
of strangled waterways*

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*the motive
of sunshine & rain
a smiley girl*

flickers and blurs
on the billboard

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*slow world
under its weight
a tortoise*

tumbles and flips
back in the pond

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*village meeting
a candlelight ritual*

...the slaughter
of two sacrificial
goats

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*the dove soar
with purity inside her
bound to happen*

black coffee
on the white apron

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clouds of pink
in the flyway

*flamingo
on a run-up
wing salute*

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*a slant
of the coconut tree
if i could reach higher*

a sweet maiden
beckons from the top

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hunter's moon —
a gorilla escapes

*a lone cricket hymns
in the white
and dark gray barn*

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ripened rice field
autumn moon stands in guard
a ragged scarecrow watches

the farmer separates
grain from straw

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*harvest moon
out of the blue sky
two crickets serenade*

the aroma
of new saké

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*the village boy:
learning to talk
grandma bites her tongue*

when he mimics
her tone on his name

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